

REMARKS

Claims 37-60 are pending in this application. In the March 29, 2005 Office action, the Examiner:

1. Rejected claims 37-39 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as allegedly being obvious and unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 5,619,142 to Schweer et al. ("Schweer") in view of Horowitz and Hill, The Art of Electronics (Cambridge University Press, 1989) ("Horowitz and Hill");
2. Deemed claim 40 allowable if rewritten to incorporate all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claim; and
3. Allowed claims 41-60.

In this response, applicant has amended claim 37 to include all of the limitations of allowable claim 40. Applicant has also canceled claim 40. Applicant requests reconsideration and allowance of claims 37-39 in view of the foregoing amendments.

Pending claims 41-60 have been allowed.

For all of the foregoing reasons, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and allowance of this application is, therefore, respectfully requested.

Respectfully Submitted,



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